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Description: ff. i + 82 + i - 18th-19th centuries, Italy. "Alla rustica" with grey-green paper added over the spine and part of the boards. Edges yellow. - Acquired from C. A. Stonehill in 1949 by Thomas E. Marston. - Shailor, B. Catalogue of Medieval and Renaissance Manuscripts in the Beinecke Rare Book and Manuscript Library, Marston MS 15.

Notes: -Manuscript on parchment of Leonardo Bruni, *De bello italico adversus gothos*, in the Italian version by Ludovico Petroni made in 1456. Preceded by the letter of Leonardo Bruni to Giuliano Cardinal Cesarini (1398-1444).

Number of Parts: 1 - *Number of Images Available:* 0

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Language: Italian *Country:* Italy *Century:* 15th

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Part 1:

Description: - parchment - 257 x 160 (143 x 96) mm.

Country: Italy

Region: Florence

Assigned Date: [ca. 1450-65]

Dated by scribe: No

Document: No

Script: Written by a single scribe in fere-gothic script, above top line.

Cardinal point:

City:

Searchable Date Range: 1450 - 1465

Inscribed Date:

Number of Scribes:

Notes: Partial border in inner margin of white vine-stem ornament, f. 1r, on blue, green and pink ground with white and blue dots. In lower border terminals extending in ink hair spray with green, pink and blue flowers and gold balls frame central medallion with a crude outline drawing of a head in profile (later addition?). Two decorated initials, 4- to 3-line, gold on blue, pink and green grounds with white vine-stem ornament. On f. 1r initial joined to partial border. Heading on f. 1r in red. Binding: 18th-19th centuries, Italy. "Alla rustica" with grey-green paper added over the spine and part of the boards. Edges yellow.

Number of Texts: 1

Text 1:

Author: Bruni, Leonardo 1369-1444.

Title: *De bello italico adversus gothos*.

Subjects: Bruni, Leonardo, 1369-1444.; Cesarini, Giuliano, Cardinal, 1398-1444.; Illumination of books and manuscripts, Medieval.; Italian literature--15th century.; Literature, Medieval--Translations.; Manuscripts, Medieval--Connecticut--New Haven.; Rome--History.;

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